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FOR AMBASSADOR FROM BOURNE-FALCO-ARELLANO

E.O. 11652: GDS

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SUBJECT: NARCOTICS - DISCUSSIONS WITH GOM

1. PURSUANT TO OUR DISCUSSIONS WITH YOU, WE BELIEVE THAT IF MR. BENSINGER, ADMINISTRATOR OF THE DRUG ENFORCEMENT ADMINISTRATION, DECIDES IT WOULD BE PRODUCTIVE TO VISIT MEXICO AT THIS TIME, HIS VISIT SHOULD BE FACT-FINDING REGARDING THE PRESENT SITUATION CONCERNING THE DEA TDY PRESENCE.

2. IN ORDER TO DEAL WITH ANTICIPATED CONGRESSIONAL INTEREST IN DEA'S ROLE IN MEXICO, MR. BENSINGER MAY WISH TO REVIEW WITH MISSION AND GOM OFFICIALS, AS APPROPRIATE, THE CONCERNS VOICED BY THE GOM ABOUT THE PRESENT MODE OF DEA PARTICIPATION. WE BELIEVE THERE SHOULD BE NO PUBLICITY ATTENDANT ON MR. BENSINGER'S VISIT, GIVEN DEMONSTRATED MEXICAN SENSIBILITIES REGARDING VISIBLE DEA INVOLVEMENT
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